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FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY HABIB FROM AMBASSADOR SNEIDER

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EAGR EFIN KS

SUBJECT: COTTON CONTRACT PROBLEM

REF: STATE 051486

1. I DISCUSSED THE COTTON CONTRACT SITUATION WITH
DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER NAM AND LEFT WITH HIM A COPY OF THE
TEXT OF THE LETTER TRANSMITTED IN REFTEL. HE AGREED TOR
PROVIDE REQUESTED LETTER JUST AS SOON AS THE ANNEX
CONTAINING A LIST OF OUTSTANDING CONTRACTS FOR THE CURRENT
COTTON MARKETING YEAR IS RECEIVED.

2. NAM STATED THAT DURING HIS CONVERSATIONS WITH YOU AND
YOUR STAFF IN WASHINGTON HE PLEADED FOR A TOTAL OF ONE
HUNDRED MILLION IN CCC CREDITS THIS FISCAL YEAR. NAM WHO
CONTINUES TOFACE AN EXTREMELY SERIOUS BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
SITUATION APPEARED TO BE UNDER THE IMPRESSION THAT THE
ADDITIONAL 25 MILLION DOLLARS MIGHT BE FORTHCOMING THIS
YEAR IF THE 75 MILLION IN CCC CREDITS IS DRAWN DOWN RAPIDLY.
WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY CLARIFICATION YOU MAY BE ABLE TO
PROVIDE ON THIS POINT.
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